## Prairie Harvest Weekend Potato Creek State Park October 3-4, 2009

Prairie Maze: Pick up guide maps at the main gate or nature center and

**Opens 9-18** explore the maze! Park at Deer Meadows.

## **SATURDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2009**

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10:00 a.m.

<u>PRESCRIBED FIRE DEMONSTRATION</u> – Hear a little about the planning of a prescribed prairie fire and then see some of the tools demonstrated. (weather permitting) <u>MEET: NATURE CENTER</u>

**1-3 p.m.** FALLING FOR LEAVES CRAFTS (\$1-\$5 fee) – Celebrate fall by creating fun fall crafts with leaves.

**1:00 p.m.** - Beautify a bandana by decorating it with leaf prints. (\$5)

**2:00 p.m.** - Decorate a bookmark with pressed leaves. (\$1) **2:30 p.m.** - Create a fall greeting card using leaf prints. (\$1)

MEET: NATURE CENTER AUDITORIUM

<u>Craft Session Fees</u> - Material fees are per craft supply set. There will be a limited number on some crafts. Craft tickets may be purchased in the Nature Center on Saturday, October 3 beginning at 9:00 am.

3:00 p.m.

<u>SCARE CROW DECORATING CONTEST (\$10/team fee)</u> – Get together a team and come get creative to win a prize! There will be a limited number of scarecrows, so sign up early. Sign-up begins at 9am at Nature Center. <u>MEET:</u> NATURE CENTER YARD

## **SUNDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2009**

**10:00 a.m.** PRAIRIE WALK – Come along on this easy walk to see and learn more about the tall grass prairie of the past. 1 hour. MEET: WHISPERING WINDS PICNIC AREA

**2:00 p.m.** AMERICA'S LOST LANDSCAPE: TALLGRASS PRAIRIE - This extraordinary video takes an in depth look at the prairie ecosystem and its history. 1 hour.

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